Big League

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but most of them will prove mighty bad seconds.

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Newspaper owners are much grieved because their government won't allow box scores sent by parcel post.

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Harry Lauder is spending the spring in the south. First thing he has ever spent since coming to America.

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If the charges against Mayor Gaynor prove true, the Giants will not permit him to throw out the first ball.

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Cy Morgan, special policeman in the West Virginia coal strike has put his tin badge and billy in soak and joined the Kansas City team. From chasing small boys, who attacked him with pea shooters, Cyrus is said to be already down to weight.

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President Brittain has insured his Cardinal players. Stallings would have insured his men, only it is impossible to get insurance on dead ones.

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Coolness between Marquard and McGraw has so far disappeared that the manager gives a willing "certainly" to Rube every time the latter asks permission to run around the park for ten minutes in order to reduce weight.

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Can you beat it The names of Ty Cobb, Hans Wagner, Walter Johnson, Heine Zimmerman, Tris Speaker, Christy Mathewson and J Franklin Baker do not appear in the new issue of Who's Who.

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As expected, Pitcher Strand is showing plenty of sand in the workouts with the Boston Nationals.

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It won't be long before it is time for games to be postponed on account of rain.

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Why is it that an eastern baseball club will train in Texas and a western team in Florida? But the railroads should worry.

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Already the moving picture men of America and Europe are assembling in Washington marking time for the gala day when President Woodrow Wilson leans forward in his box and grips the hand of Walter Johnson.

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It won't be long before Dan Moeller dislocates his shoulder.

Johnny Evers is put out of the game for kicking.

J. Franklin Baker punches the ball over the right field fence, tying the score.

Cincinnati fans get after Joe Tinker

Hans Wagner, rapidly declining, makes three triples, a double and a single in one game.

Cleveland signs a new manager.

Eddie Plank announces his retirement.

Eight National eague owners declare they will get Lynch.

Murphy puts Ruelbach on the market.

Frank Leroy Chance is hit in the head by a pitched ball.

Phillie stars break a few ankles.

T. R. Cobb scores from the home plate on a sacrifice.

Canadian League

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this summer. It is not the loss to the club I regret so much as baseball will lose a clean ambitious little player."

It was notable last year when the Ottawa team was at home Louden went out to the grounds as early as 1.30 and had the kids around Lansdowne Park pitch to him in an effort to improve his batting. He was bound to advance into faster company had misfortune not overtaken him.

The pennant from the Spalding company arrived in Ottawa recently. It measured 35 feet in length and will be first flown on flag day at Lansdowne Park.

The greatest performance of the Canadian League last season was undoubtedly the double shoutout Pitcher Fred Herbert of Ottawa administered the Hamilton team in one afternoon The memorial occasion was Saturday August 24th. Herbert opposer Chief Garlow in the first inning, holding Hamilton to seven hits without a run Ottawa won the game 7-0. Herbert went even stronger in the second contest, letting the Kolts down with one hit and no runs. Bill Crystal pitched against him. Ottawa won this game 5-0. In the sixteen innings he pitched he struck out thirteen men and only gave one base on balls. The Hamilton ball park was crowded at the time as Ottawa was somewhat crippled by the loss of two catchers and had only three pitchers in working condition. After his great performance, the fans stood up and voted Herbert the greatest pitcher in the league.

Late Sport

MACON Ga., April 2.— Much better pitching was seen in yesterday's game with Macon than in that with the same team on Monday. The Leafs fielded sharply and ran bases to perfection. By taking full advantage of the battery and fielding errors of the locals they piled up eleven runs while Macon did not get a runner past second base.

Cooper and Osborne, two lanky, six-foot pitchers from Southern Florida, worked against the Kelleys. The tall youngsters got into condition two months ago, and their speed puzzled the Leafs, who have not set an eye on so much smoke since last season. Pitcher Fred Herbert was hit for two singles in the first inning, and then did not allow a baseman to reach first, with the exception of one, who walked. Herbert retired at the end of the fifth. Hearn followed him on the mound and was quite as effective.

Shaw and O'Hara and Shaw and Graham engineered double steals. Bradley's lame arm has rounded into condition, and the third baseman pegged beautifully yesterday. Toronto will play Macon again to-day and leave on Thursday for Atlanta for three games.

Liners

Buffalo defeated Boston Nationals 9 to 8 yesterday.

The 191 season of the Pacific Coast League was opened yesterday.

"Mackey" Corcoran is again at his old habits and has refused to join the Baltimore squad.

"Chick" Lathers, who played first base for Providence last season, declares he has quit baseball.

Third baseman Del Paddock has accepted terms with the Rochester club, McMillan and Zinn are now the only holdouts.

Outfielder Northen had a home run in the 23 to 15 slugfeast with Macon. Shaw had four hits out of six times at bat.

Keefe and Jacklitsch have not signed their contracts with Rochester but are in camp taking part in the practices.

There is a possibility of two Buffalo outfielders, probably Deininger and McCabe, joining the Boston National squad.

The New York Highlanders and the Brooklyn Superbas will play an exhibition game at the new Ebbetts Feld on Saturday.

Pitcher Dube, the recruit working out with the Leafs, is under size and inexperienced and will not do for the local team.

In case Hal Chase is unable to play at any time Medkiff, a recruit, will replace him at secondbase for the New York Highlanders.

"Matty" McIntyre, the Chicago White Sox outfielder, has signed with "Wild Bill" Donovan's Providence club for the coming season.

Catcher "Wally" Schang, last season with the Buffalo club, is causing a sensation at the Philadelphia National camp with his speed.

Cricket

The annual general meeting of the Brantford Cricket Association will be held in the Council chamber on Monday evening next, April 7th, at 8 p.m. All lovers of cricket are urged to be present. Representatives of all teams intending to enter the city league are requested to attend.

Election of officers and other business will be transacted at this meeting.

Good Policeman

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clinch, and when the Californian got out of it, McKay rushed in lumbering style, swinging wildly and powerfully for Smith's neck and jaw. The crowd thunder-struck, could not imagine what ailed Smith, and he was urged to do something. He responded with a snappy left swing on the ear and a solid righ-hander in the pit of the stomach. McKay began to puff like a porpoise, but still confident, he pushed Smith to the ropes, where the latter covered up, while the spectators hooted.

Working out of a corner, Smith cut the right hand loose and grazed the point of the jaw by the fraction of an inch, but McKay rushed his antagonist to the ropes again and made him take the defensive. Smith suddenly let fly a terrific left after that and caught the Canadian squarely under the ear, McKay turned ashen pale and tottered, but he quickly recovered his balance in time to avoid a deadly right hand swing. McKay had the round on aggressiveness and blows landed.

When the second round began Smith had instructions to tear in and slug, just as he did in the bout with Bombadier Wells. McKay met his attack with right-handers across the mouth. Smith again advanced and with a heavy wallop in the stomach he made the policeman clinch. Smith rushed fiercely and landed two left hooks on the neck. McKay missed a wild right hand swing with much strength behind it. He mixed it and landed left and right on the head. Smith, however, had the big fellow worried and rattled under the hottest kind of fire so that the latter left many openings. Finally Smith swung the right flush to the point of the jaw and McKay went to the floor like a ton of coal and was counted out.

Gunboat Smith

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without leave—just $100. I sat in the brig ten days counting the holes in the hardtack to kill time.

"My first fight ashore was with a negro named Carlton— the guy that Jeannette fought here and stepped all over his feet. That was a preliminary bout—six round draw—in Seattle. It was four years ago yesterday, March 17, He hit me so hard in the slats I thought he'd torn them all loose.

"When I had served my time in the navy I went to Oakland and fought Jim Barry. That was my fourth fight Barry was about at his best. In the ninth round Barry swung one from the floor and broke my jaw. He swung another and knocked out two back teeth where the break was. They stopped it. I thought I'd had enough of fighting. Thought I'd never try it again. I went to work down in the oil fields and in about four months I was all right and the old fighting spirit woke up and bothered me so much I got back into the game. I was boxing with Klaus one day, when Buckley saw me. Klaus walloped me good and I cut loose and nailed him and then held him up on his feet. Buckley said he'd take me East to fight Palzer because he liked the way I could punch. But Palzer never would fight me.

"As for Wells—don't let anybody tell you that fellow can't hit. Every time he popped one on my nose he shot it over so fast I didn't see it start. The first thing I'd see was his arm back ready for another. He jarred me so hard I saw the only thing to do was to rush in and try to swing on him. That punch at the back of the neck is a natural punch of mine. It goes over the guard and comes down. Some people thought Savage quit. He didn't. I nailed him on the back of the head and he had just sense enough to try to clinch as he was sliding down. I got a good look at his eyes, and he was out all right.

"Wells is a great boxer but I guess he's too civilized to be a champion. He ought to serve four years in the navy the way I did.

"Im after McCarty now. He says I'm light. Well, he should worry. I'm willing to give him the twenty-five pounds difference in weight and put my wallop against his. I want McCarty. No theatrical stunts for mine. I'm a fighter, and if I tried to be an actor the high cost of living would be the only thing that might keep people from showering me with eggs.

"How did I get the name Gunboat? Why, fighting in the navy did not get me that. My name is Ed. Smith, but the boys called me Gunboat before I ever went into the navy, because of my big feet. I wear number 10 shoes—gunboats—see ? I just got a new pair to wear while I run down McCarty. Hope it won't be a long chase."

The Engagement Ring

By HOWARD L. RANN

THE engagement ring is a polite method of informing the general public that the wearer is about to commit matrimony with the aid of orange blossoms and a befuddled bachelor. It is worn on the third finger of the left hand so that everybody can see it and sympathize with the groom-elect.

When a young man offers his hand and heart to some girl who stands in a recess of the front porch bathed in the moonlight and a blush that cost $4 a half ounce, and is accepted before he can work up to his peroration, the first thing he does is to invest in an engagement ring that causes father to wake up at night and perspire heavily. It is becoming the custom nowadays for a young man who yearns to get married on $9 a week to buy a $250 engagement ring on the installment plan, and then exchange it after marriage for a tame cow and a fireless cooker. This is a tasty and inexpensive method of furnishing the home which pleases everybody but the bride, who has to put up with a band ring earned by collecting tobacco tags.

The diamond is usually chosen in buying an engagement ring because it does not fade or peel and can be used over and over again. Some men never think of offering marriage to anybody without having a 14-carat diamond ring in their vest pocket, ready for immediate use. It frequently happens that a woman will accept a diamond ring and the betrothal kiss while under the influence of the full moon, and then send the ring back the next day with a note stating that she can't marry a man who breaks crackers into his soup. It is a bitter experience for a proud, high-spirited man to invest heavily in an engagement ring and then have it fired back seven or eight times by parcel post before he finds a soul-mate who doesn't object to sideburns.

The engagement ring is a source of great envy to adult friends of the bride-elect who have never been proposed to with any particular degree of enthusiasm, and who recall seeing the ring in a department store window last Christmas, marked down to $14.98.

Ball Notes

With the Torontos.

MACON, Ga., April 3—There was happiness in the Leaf camp yesterday afternoon when word was received from President McCaffery at New York, that Tim Jordan would report at Atlanta to-day. The Kellyites went out to the ball park and said good-bye to the Macon fans in a six to five defeat of the local South Atlantic Leaguers.

With Kubat and Dube doing the pitching for the Leafs, and two new twirlers working against the champions, the game was fairly close. In the final innings, Manager Kelley relieved Dube, and pitched himself. "Kel" had a running fire of disconcerting talk directed at the Maconites while he was in the box. He struck out Prysock, the Frank Baker of the league.

The Leafs whipped the ball around the lot in midsummer style, with the exception of Shaw, whose arm is very sore and weak. Shaw wants to get away from the Toronto team, and has expressd a preference for the American association. It is doubtful whether Toronto will let him go. The champions break camp with the pitchers, with the exception of Rudolph and Lush, ready to go six or seven innings. Dick's arm is weak, and Lush is still much overweight.

Expert

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sprightly dope. And he has the hardest handicap of any man in the game to face—that of maintaining Chance's standard in the face of blazing hostility to the Cub cause among his own fans.

The Subway Conflict.

Brooklyn has far better material with which to finish sixth than either St. Louis or Boston. Of three trailers, Boston has easily the best leader. Brooklyn led by Stallings would challenge Cincinnati and Philadelphia.

As the combination stands, the battle among these three for the Subway Grotto should be a nectarine full of juice—and almost a toss-up.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM NEWS ITEMS

Mon. 31st, March 1913

Telegrams from Prince Ruper.t the Pacific terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, indicate that residents of that city are greately satisfied at the arrivel of 50 white fishermen to take part in the halibut fisheries which have their centre in that place. The Salmon fisheries in the Skeena River employ a great number of Japanese workman who are, of course, looked upon with some mistrust in British Columbia and the building up of a deep sea fishery, such as that for halibut, where white men are employed is considered of great importance by the residents of British Columbia. Recent advices from Prince Rupert tell of storing of tons of herring in that city to be used as bait for the halibut.

Sir Richard McBride, Premier of British Columbia, will go to Washington early in April to interview President Wilson with regard to co-operation between his Government and that of the United States is extending the Pacific Great Eastern Railway by main and branch lines from Fort George on the Grand Trunk Pacific through Alaska, tapping the principal mining camps. It is proposed to extend the P. G. E. through the undeveloped portions of Northern British Columbia and the Yukon as well as providing Alaska with railroad transportation. Sir Richard is said to be enthusiastic as to the possibilities of the project, which will open up enormous areas to mining and agricultural development and will create a railroad system with a mileage of some 3,000 miles. It is understood that the co-operation of the Federal Government will also be sought, and Sir Richard may proceed to Ottawa from Washington for that purpose.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway has now penetrated far enough into Britsh Columbia from the west to be of great use in bringing new settlers to the country and this year is likely to see a very heavy passenger movement from Prince Rupert east. The first signs of this complaint come from Hazelton and other interior points respecting lack of good hotel accommodation. This want will, of course, be repaired almost at once, but the rush of settlers seems likely to overtake hotel facilities as rapidly as they can be provided.

The appointment is reported of Mr. Arthur Skidmore as Chief Engineer of the Grand Trunk Power at Stratford shops, succeeding Mr. A. Kastella who has been transferred to take charge of the light, heat, and power in connection with the Chateau Laurier and the Grand Trunk Central Station at Ottawa. Mr Skidmore was previously Assistant Engineer at Stratford.

During the last week four special trains have passed through the Grand Trunk's Bonaventure station at Montreal with 1,100 passengers for Ontario and points in Western Canada from Europe via. Halifax, Portland and St. John.

HAIR TURNING GRAY OR FALLING? JUST MIX SAGE TEA AND SULPHUR

It's Grandmother's Recipe for Dandruff and Restoring Color to Hair.

Almost every one knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also cures dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is mussy and troublesome.

Nowadays skilled chemists do this better than ourselves. By asking at any drug store for the ready-to-use product—called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy"—you will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Some druggists make their own, but it's usually too sticky, so insist upon getting "Wyeth's," which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair, and is the best remedy for dandruff, dry, feverish, itchy scalp and to stop falling hair.

Folks like "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur" because no one can positively tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly, says a well-known downtown druggist. You dampen a sponge or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This requires but a few moments, by morning the gray hair disappears and after another application or two is restored to its natural color and looks even more beautiful and glossy than ever.

Giving Up Housekeeping.

UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE OF HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE

W. J. Bragg, Auctioneer, has received instructions from Miss Weekes to sell by public auction at her residence, 42 Oak St., West Brantford, on

Wednesday next, April 9,

commencing at 1.30 p.m., sharp, the following goods:

Parlor—Two large oak plush chairs, one oak rocker, one oak round parlor table, one large sofa, one oak parlor table, one mahogany music cabinet, one arm chair, one mantel clock, one Brussels rug, 20 yards; one cushion, curtains and blinds.

Back Parlor—One square piano, one velvet couch, 14 yards Brussels carpet, one cherry rocker, one jardiniere stand, two rugs, 1 pair chenille curtains, blinds, etc.

Dining-room—Six quarter-cut oak dining chairs, leather seated; one centre table, one sideboard, one Radiant Home heater, over 20 yards tapestry carpet; one oak rocker, one jardiniere stand, pictures, blinds, etc.

Den—One Davenport, 12 yards wool carpet, one oak book case and writing desk combined, one drop leaf table, one small rug, curtains, etc.

Kitchen—Six kitchen chairs, one kitchen table, one Imperial Oxford range, 16 yards inlaid linoleum.

Hall—One oak hall stand, 10 yards tapestry carpet, one square stand, 8 yards stair carpet.

Bedroom No. 1—One grand quarter-cut oak bedroom suite, consisting of dresser, commode, bed springs, mattress, one wool rug.

Bedroom No. 2—One oak dresser, one commode, one bed, one spring, one mattress, one toilet set, 12 yards wool carpet, curtains and blinds.

Bedroom No. 3—One oak dresser, commode, bed, springs, mattress, 12 yards tapestry carpet.

Remember the date—Wednesday next, April 9, at 1.30 p.m. sharp, at 42 Oak St., West Brantford. This is an A1 sale, as everything is the best money can buy.

No reserve. Terms—Spot cash.

W. J. Bragg, Auctioneer. **Miss Weekes,** Proprietress.

Almost every one knows that Saye

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

W. Almas has received instructions from Miss Tuttle to sell at her residence, No. 78 Northumberland St.,

Tuesday April 8, 1913,

commencing at 1 o'clock, the following:

Reception Room—Axminster rug, 3x3½, old rose pattern; 3-piece solid walnut parlor suite, antique, beautiful in design; walnut arm chair, silk upholstered; mahogany afternoon tea table, silk curtains, brass poles, curtains and blinds.

Living Room—Axminster rug, 5½ x 3½, green; leather covered couch, oak frame; 2 oak rockers, solid oak reading table, upright grand piano, large upholstered arm chair, oak book case and books, Jewel gas heater, reading lamp, net curtains, rugs, blinds, etc.

Hall—Oak hall seat, also large hall mirror, Axminster carpet, jardiniere stand, curtains and blinds.

Dining-room—25 yards Axminster carpet, massive quarter-cut oak sideboard, extension-table, also half dozen chairs, leather and spring-seated. All these are good. China cabinet, rugs, etc.

Kitchen—New Jewel gas range, refrigerator, kitchen cabinet, washing machine, linoleum, ice cream freezer, scales, chairs, sad irons, large quantity of fruit, also all cooking utensils.

Also the contents of three well-furnished bedrooms, including Axminster rugs, iron and brass beds, oak dressers, chiffoniers.

Barn—Tools of all kinds, lawn mower, rubber-tired buggy (Stanhope), cutter, blankets and many other articles.

These goods are all new and will be sold without reserve.

Terms—Cash before delivery.

Miss Tuttle, Proprietress. **W. Almas,** Auctioneer.

HARTFORD

(From our own correspondent.)

With the storm cutting off telephone connections, and the almost impassable roads, we have almost been isolated from the rest of the country.

The Dramatic Club are hoping for continued fair weather this week, so the roads will get good enough for a large crowd to attend the concert Thursday night.

Last Friday evening the Women's Institute had their social tea and concert for the winners of the Red and Blue contest. There were not many present as they wished, but every one had a pleasant time. Mrs. W. H. Howarth the President, occupied the chair. F. H. Osborne was present and gave selections on his graphophone. Miss Maud Wilcox and Asa Walker rendered some good music with the violin and autoharp. Some good readings were also enjoyed.

Herbert Bertram's little girl Maud has been taken with scarlet fever, and they have been quarantined again. We wish them a speedy recovery.

Edward Howard lost six or seven of his sheep and lambs Saturday. They seemed to take with cramps and died in a short time.

Mrs. H. Deterling returned from her visit at Nelles Corners, Monday. While there she received a telegram from her mother, informing her of the serious illness of her sister. Monday her sister passed away.

The roads were so badly washed out towards Medina, that Pastor Hagen had to walk to the afternoon service.

Herbert Renner has both horses laid up with distemper.

Frank Tyler of Rockford was the guest of Jas. Wilcox Sunday. When ready to go home, he was unable to find the bridle, and Jim lent him one. When looking around in the morning it was found hanging on the front gate.

HARRISBURG

(From our own correspondent.)

Mr. Pite, having received a situation in the brick and tile yard here, has moved into Mr. Card's house.

Mrs. Ellington of Toronto who has been the guest of her brother, Mr. George Vrooman for the last week, left on Tuesday for her home.

The Ontario Portland Cement Co. of Brantford have started work here with a large gang of men getting out clay for their work at Blue Lake.

Mrs. F Gage of Bartonville spent a few days last week the guest of her parents here.

Mrs. Medcalf of Hatley, who has been spending a few days with friends in and around here, left for her home on Thursday last.

Mr. John Moll of Niagara Falls renewing old friends in the village a few days last week.

Mrs. J. Studerman and daughter, spent a few days last week with friends in the village.

Owing to the bad condition of the roads the minister could not get here on Sunday. There was no service on Sunday.

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